



2002 Census of Agriculture House District Profile

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House District 66, Pennsylvania

Number of farms	772
Land in farms (acres)	121,746
Average size of farm (acres)	158
Irrigated Acres	162
Total Number of Farm Operators	1,107
Market Value of Production (dollars)	32,352,000
Market Value of Production, average per farm (dollars)	41,906
Government Payments (dollars)	697,000
Government Payments, average per farm (dollars)	5,812
Gross Income from Farms Related Sources (dollars) 1/	509,000

FARMS BY SIZE

1-9 Acres/Farm	28
10-49 Acres/Farm	136
50-179 Acres/Farm	410
180-499 Acres/Farm	164
500-999 Acres/Farm	23
1,000+ Acres/Farm	11

LAND USE

Farms with Cropland	733
Farms with Woodland	511
Farms with Other	541
Farms with Pasture and Rangeland	290

	Quantity	State rank	Universe 2/
MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD (\$1,000)			
Total value of agricultural products sold	32,352	42	179
VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000) 3/			
Grains and oilseeds	1,334	49	147
Tobacco	-		30
Cotton and cottonseed	-		
Vegetables, melons, potatoes and sweet potatoes	539	66	152
Fruit, tree nuts, and berries	172	78	144
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture and sod crops	15,557	8	166
Cut Christmas trees and woody crops	200	40	132
Poultry and eggs	(D)	(D)	129
Cattle and calves	2,314	50	146
Milk products	9,664	40	126
Hogs and pigs	261	52	127
Sheep, goats, and their products	79	30	134
Horses, ponies, mules	167	36	130
Aquaculture	45	44	86

House District 66, Pennsylvania (continued)

	Quantity	State rank	Universe 2/
TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)			
Quail	(D)	(D)	76
Cattle and calves	16,236	33	150
Layers 20 weeks old and older	2,415	56	137
Sheep and lambs	1,823	16	140
Horses and ponies	1,342	27	153
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TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)			
Forage - land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and green chop	35,377	13	158
Corn for grain	8,341	37	141
Oats	4,025	6	131
Corn for silage	3,507	43	134
Soybeans	2,669	43	124
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FARMS BY VALUE OF SALES			
Less than \$1,000	238		
\$1,000 to \$2,499	132		
\$2,500 to \$4,999	69		
\$5,000 to \$9,999	93		
\$10,000 to \$19,999	78		
\$20,000 to \$24,999	18		
\$25,000 to \$39,999	33		
\$40,000 to \$49,999	11		
\$50,000 to \$99,999	40		
\$100,000 to \$249,999	45		
\$250,000 to \$499,999	14		
\$500,000 or more	1		
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	29,470		
Average per farm (dollars)	38,174		
Net cash return from agricultural sales for the farm unit (\$1,000)	4,625		
Average per farm (dollars)	5,991		
PRINCIPAL OPERATORS BY PRIMARY OCCUPATION			
Farming	371		
Other	401		
PRINCIPAL OPERATORS BY GENDER			
Male	698		
Female	74		
Average age of principal operator (years)	54		
ALL OPERATORS BY RACE 4/			
White	1,082		
Black or African American	-		
American Indian or Alaska Native	-		
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	-		
Asian	-		
More than one race	1		
All operators with Spanish, Hispanic or Latino Origin 4/	4		

(D) Cannot be disclosed.

1/ Custom work, farm rent, forest products, recreational services, cooperative dividends, animal boarding, tax refunds, etc.

2/ Universe is the number of house districts in the state with the item. Pennsylvania has 203 house districts.

3/ Categories are not comprehensive and will not sum to total.

4/ Data were collected for a maximum of three operators per farm.

5/ Items with a rank that cannot be disclosed are separated by a blank line. Position in the table does not indicate rank.